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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

TELEPHONE SERVICE WITH VARIABLE PARTY BILLING

A method, computer program product, and data processing system for specifying a party to be billed for the entirety of mobile telephone airtime and other charges in a telephone conversation is disclosed. Either the caller or a called party may accept all airtime and/or other charges. In addition, the parties need not operate a mobile telephone, but may use a conventional "wire" telephone.